

THE EVENING NEWS.

FIFTH YEAR—NO. 238

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, JULY 9, 1900

TWO CENTS.

ARE ALIVE AGAIN TODAY

More Cheering News From Pekin.

Chinese Troops Guarding Legations.

Washington Cheered by Today's Reports.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Washington, July 9.—The news received from Pekin today, through Chinese sources, has encouraged the Washington officials to hope that Minister Conger and the American legation are still alive. The source of the information is questioned.

The Chinese minister received official word today that the foreign ministers at Pekin were alive July 3, confirming other Chinese reports received Saturday.

A Shanghai dispatch says that Hsu Tung, the most determined hater of foreigners, has been murdered with his entire household while resisting the boxer pillagers.

It is reported that Chinese troops are now guarding the legations at Pekin.

Several Catholic and one American Mission in Shang Tung have been destroyed but the missionaries have been saved.

LOSING SPIRIT OF WORSHIP

Rev. W. J. Cady Preaches on True Worship and Its Needs.

At the Congregational church Sunday morning Rev. W. J. Cady preached on the answer of Jesus to the Samaritan woman who asked if the place to worship was in Jerusalem or in the mountain, and the reply was that those who worship must worship in spirit and truth.

The pastor is afraid the people are losing sight of the true idea of worship. They attend church because they want to hear the organist, the choir or the sermon and do not go to worship in spirit and in truth. He does not believe that one can truly worship who goes to church and on the way discusses the last opera and the latest fashion plates or any other subjects. He praised the Episcopalians and the Roman Catholics because of their devotion in entering the house of worship and breathing a silent prayer they might be in the true spirit of worship.

LOCAL NOTES

The next meeting of the Florence Crittenden mission circle will be held at the home of Mrs. Jethro Johnson on Britain avenue Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

W. L. A. S. of the Christian church will meet Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Miles Leighton on Britain avenue.

The Forsyth of Paw Paw lake was in the city today. The bicycle races will be held for Sunday and off as advertised on the twin city track. Half a dozen crack Chicago riders took all the prizes. Attendance 50. Apparently Sunday racing will not be successful this year. The enterprise will probably be abandoned.

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HE WAS JEALOUS

Steve Crabb Licked Miram Knapp at the Dock.

Stevan Crabb is lodged in the city jail today on a charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm. Miram Knapp is the complainant.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. Crabb was on the G. & M. steamer at its dock in this city. Knapp was with her and it is claimed threw his arm around her in a joking manner.

Crabb appeared on the scene and enraged at the thought of his wife talking with another man pitched into Knapp and beat him severely about the face and head.

When Dick Sawyer attempted to interfere Crabb pulled a knife and threatened death to any one interfering.

Crabb will get his hearing before Justice Hollis this afternoon.

PHILLIPS IN JAIL.

Benton Harbor Mail Carrier Arrested on Complaint of His Wife.

Harvey Phillips, a trusted and popular postal carrier, was arrested little before noon today on complaint of his wife. He is charged with adultery. As a substitute could not be secured Phillips delivered his mail as usual, a United States officer accompanying him on his rounds.

Although Phillips has been drawing a monthly salary of \$70 his family—wife and five children of whom the youngest is four months—have been in actual need. Mrs. Phillips quietly instituted an investigation and found out more than she had expected. She discovered her husband and Mrs. Leona Koontz closeted together in a St. Joseph resort. A hair pulling match was narrowly averted.

Mrs. Phillips continued her investigation and learned that the relations between her husband and Mrs. Koontz had been going on for over a year. Other women had also been connected with the immoral mail carrier.

Mrs. Koontz comes from a very good family and numbers among her relatives some of the very best people in Benton Harbor. To avoid the disgrace of an exposure these relatives implored Mrs. Phillip to drop the matter for a time.

The neglected wife however was thoroughly aroused and swearing she would see the affair to the bitter end had her husband arrested this morning.

Phillip takes the matter very calmly. When seen by a NEWS reporter in the county jail this afternoon he expressed a trust that things would right themselves and further he refused to say.

BERRIEN SPRINGS ELECTRICIAN

Has Brought Suit to Recover His Pay.

J. Sherlock Allen and his mother, Julia Allen Brobst of Berrien Court fame are in trouble again.

When Mrs. Brobst, then Mrs. Allen, purchased the old court house property in Berrien Springs she erected an electric plant and started to supply the village with light.

Leonard E. Armijo was engaged as manager of the plant at a salary of \$100 a month.

During the time of his service Mrs. Allen married the minister swindler Brobst and lost the bulk of her fortune by the deal. As a result Armijo did receive his salary regularly. However nine months and during that time was paid but \$123.

He now sues for the remainder of his salary.

The Greatest Shows.

The Great Wallace Shows will exhibit in Benton Harbor on Thursday, July 12, was called "The Greatest Show" in an editorial mentioned by the Post of Washington, D. C. In part the Post said:

The Great Wallace Show represents all that there is of the legitimate worth in the circus business. It is in charge of men who aspire to elevate the tone and purify the atmosphere of the calling, and we believe the thousands who have attended the performances during the past two days will certify that they have succeeded. Not only was the performance up to the highest professional and artistic standard, the manager's large and varied, and the trained animals of the best, but there was no connection with the Wallace Show a single one of those discreditable and demoralizing features which have done so much to give the circus a bad name and to discourage the true friends of that otherwise wholesome form of amusement.

Excursion Up the St. Joe

It is not too early in the week to make your plans for the excursion up the St. Joe river on Friday evening under the auspices of the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church. The round trip will cost but 20 cents. The bright moonlight will make the trip most delightful and enjoyable. 5238

Marriage Licenses.

George A. Finch, 34, Derby; Lillian Keefer, 33, South Bend.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

Tonight at Eastman Springs theatre pavilion, "Nugget Nell," New songs and specialties. Admission to grounds and theatre 15 cents. Wednesday night "The Noble Outcast."

Dr. S. M. White, dentist

BOILING OF POLITICAL POT

Five Townships Form a Compact.

They Will Have 48 Votes to Trade.

Interest Centers in Primaries Here.

The fight of the candidates for the republican nominations for county offices has begun in dead earnest. As yet no candidate has a cinch on any office, or as one very prominent leader expressed it this morning, not even half a cinch. It will be a matter of trades and the most skilled traders will win out.

The latest development is the union formed Saturday by leaders from Lake, Chickaming, Royalton, Weesaw and Lincoln townships. An effort will be made to have the delegations from these townships pull in unison. The fact that Lake alone has 19 delegates will show the strength of the union. Lake township has two candidates, James Brooks for sheriff and John Burbank for treasurer.

These five townships will have 48 delegates in the convention or about one-eighth of the entire delegation. If the compact of 48 votes can be held together to trade as the managers please it is likely that the combination will be heard from before the convention adjourns.

The Oronoko township caucus was held in Berrien Springs Saturday night. The dam matter was the issue at stake and the Chaplin crowd won out by a vote of 55 to 7. The unusually large attendance will tend to show the unusual interest taken. The Oronoko delegation is reported solid for Ellsworth and reported solid for Van Riper.

The delegates selected are: George Kephart, A. B. Ayers, Harold Miers, W. S. Martin, William Light, Samuel Hadlock, A. M. Haskins, Charles A. Boone, I. N. Savage, George Whitman, Gus M. Dudley, Thomas Lawrence.

The delegates were not pledged to any candidate and as Oronoko has no man in the field it is likely they will divide their votes among all the candidates.

Much interest is manifested in the Benton Harbor caucuses which will be held tomorrow evening. Attorneys Cady and Sears both are confident of capturing the city delegations for prosecuting attorney and they realize the importance of the Benton Harbor delegation at their back in the convention. The friends of Attorney Ellsworth are also very active as they know that without the support of Benton Harbor their candidate for probate judge will have little hope of swinging the convention. Judge VanRiper has some strong supporters in the various wards and the battle between these two candidates will be as interesting as the one between Cady and Sears. There seems little doubt at this time but that Benton Harbor will be almost solid for Ellsworth, than whom there is no more popular citizen.

Friends of the various other candidates for office will be at the caucuses to complicate matters.

IN HIS NAME

Put Aside a Can of Fruit for Rescue Mission.

There are two institutions which appeal to the generous impulses of our people—the Rescue Mission of our city and the Florence Crittenden Home for fallen women in Chicago which has an auxiliary in our city. And in a very simple way kindly help can be rendered, viz: when you are canning fruit, set aside one or two cans of a kind for these institutions. These cans can be delivered at the Rescue Mission rooms at West Main street. The mission will furnish new cans for the old ones donated for the worthy poor under its care. Farmers can do a good service in this way. One item more: If any family has a child's carriage for which there is no further use in that home, the Rescue Mission can place one or more in poor families where the gift will prove a great boon and blessing.

ELISHA A. HOFFMAN.

More Bodies Found.

New York, July 9.—Three more bodies were found Sunday on the Saale. This makes 29 bodies that have thus far been taken from the wreck of the Saale since the fire, and 146 bodies in all recovered.

Receiver Appointed.

New York, July 9.—The Hamill & Booth Silk company, of Paterson, N. J., asked for the appointment of a receiver to wind up its affairs, and C. Lambert was appointed. Liabilities, \$400,000; assets, \$250,000.

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THE WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair and warmer tonight and Tuesday.

MAKES A BIG SHOWING.

Benton Harbor State Bank Rapidly Increasing in Business.

The statement of the Benton Harbor state bank at the close of business on June 29 is most gratifying to President Conkey, Cashier Rupp and the stockholders.

The bank made its first statement on April 26, after its first four months of existence. At that time its deposits amounted to \$4,000 in round numbers. In two months and three days the bank increased its deposits to \$70,000, or a gain of about \$500 for every banking day. The report shows the bank to be more than paying expenses.

NAVAL RESERVES

Left for Cruise on Special Yesterday.

The Benton Harbor division of the Michigan Naval Brigade left on a special train over the M. B. H. & C. Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A large crowd gathered at the depot and saw the boys—almost a full hundred—start on their journey.

The division will board the Yantic at Detroit today, and will later be transferred to the U. S. S. Michigan. The cruise will end July 18.

ONE DRY GOODS STORE LESS

Enterprise Mercantile Co. Goes Out of Business

The Enterprise mercantile company, for several years doing a dry goods and millinery trade on East Main street, closed its doors this morning for inventory and will reopen in a few days and close out the entire stock.

The store was opened several years ago by F. G. Warren and two or three years ago was purchased by the Enterprise mercantile company and George B. Warren was made manager. Mr. Warren will remain in the city and will devote all his time to the interests of the Home Mutual life insurance company, of which he is treasurer.

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In the evening, the deaconess led the Epworth league and there explained more at length, her work. The work of the deaconesses is a comparatively new work, yet it is rapidly growing and promises to become one of the most prominent branches of the Methodist church.

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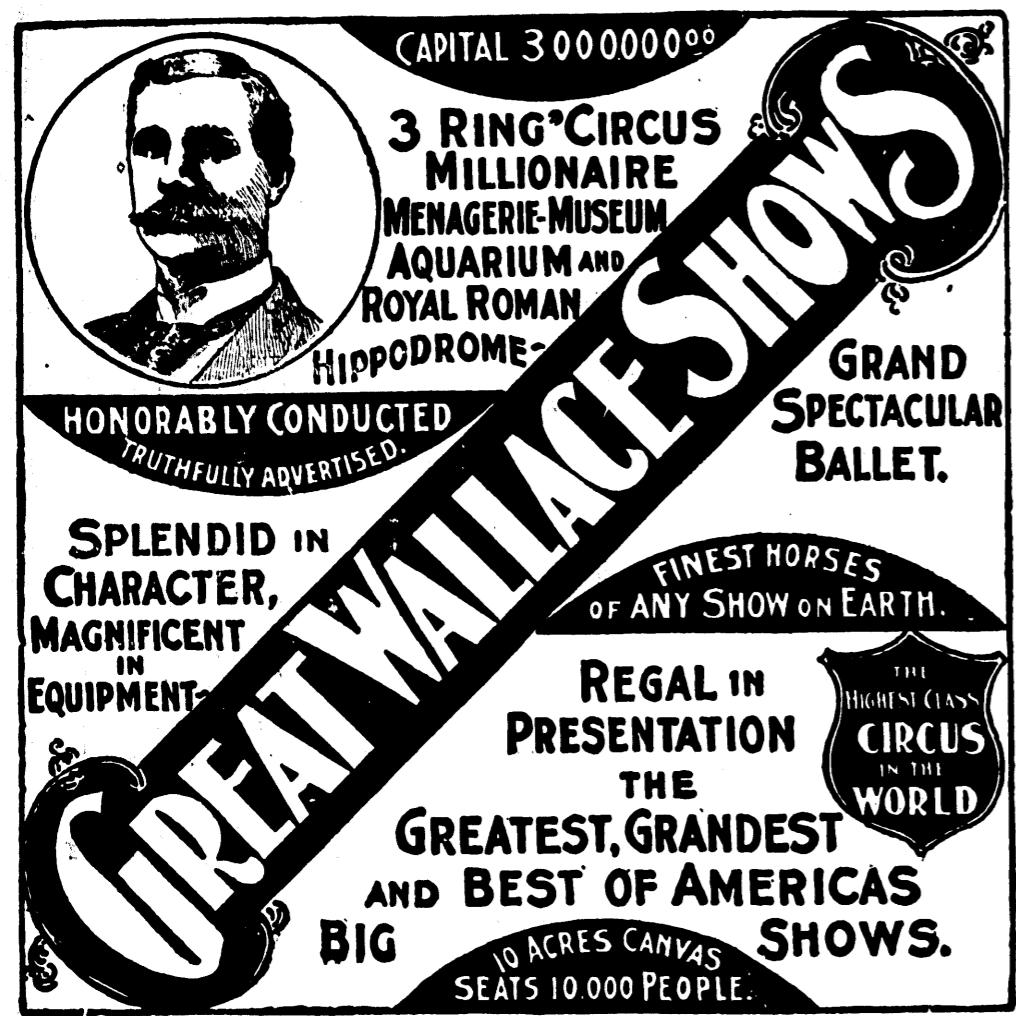
Miss Hicks Enthused Methodist Audience Sunday.

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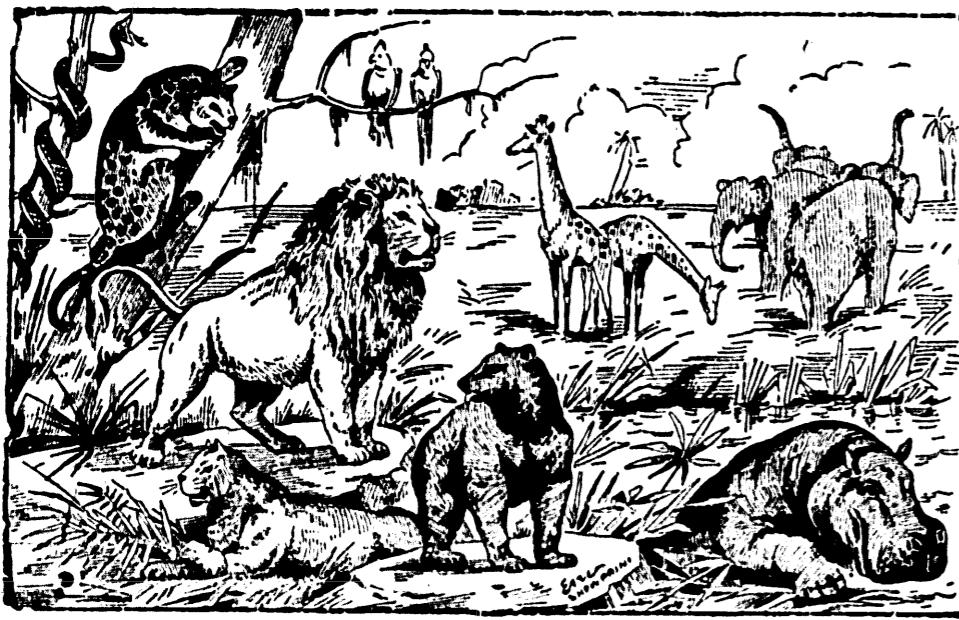
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The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

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NOT UNLAWFUL.

Once Famous Yacht Idler Unable to Weather a Storm.

SHE IS CAPSIZED OFF CLEVELAND.

SIX MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY OF JAMES CORRIGAN, OWNER OF THE VESSEL, DROWNED—STORY OF ONE OF THE SURVIVORS.

Cleveland, O., July 9.—The famous schooner-yacht Idler is drifting half submerged on Lake Erie 16 miles off this port, and in her cabin are the bodies of six persons, members of the family of James Corrigan, owner of the boat and a wealthy vessel man of this city. The dead are:

Mrs. James Corrigan, wife of the owner of the boat.
Miss Jane Corrigan, aged 20, daughter of James Corrigan.
Ida May Corrigan, aged 15, daughter of James Corrigan.
Etta Corrigan, aged 13, daughter of James Corrigan.
Mrs. Charles Reilly, aged 22, daughter of James Corrigan.
Baby Reilly, daughter of above.

Mrs. John Corrigan was the only passenger aboard who was saved. C. H. Holmes, the captain; Samuel Biggam, the mate, four sailors, two cooks and the ship carpenter were also saved. The yacht left Port Huron Friday with the family of Mr. Corrigan aboard and started to Cleveland. Mr. Corrigan was ill and left by train.

The yacht was in tow until she reached Bar Point, when the captain left her tow and turned the yacht for Cleveland. At two o'clock the storm came up, and inside of five minutes the yacht sank. All the women excepting Mrs. John Corrigan and Miss Etta Corrigan were in the cabin when the gale came up. They became panic-stricken and refused to leave the place. The mate implored them to come to the deck, but they refused. Mrs. John Corrigan clung to a cork sofa when the gale came and was saved.

Samuel Biggam, mate of the ill-fated

Five Persons Killed on Duty at Fire in Pittsburgh. Collapse of a Floor the Cause.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 9.—Pittsburgh's down-town business section was visited by another disastrous fire Saturday, the second within a week. As a result four men are dead and six others are in hospitals suffering from injuries which may prove fatal. All of the victims were firemen. The dead are John Griffin, St. Clair Crawford, Max Batterbaugh, Stewart Burns and John Lewis. The fire was one of the most stubborn and hard to fight that the firemen have had to contend with for years. Its origin was in the basement of T. G. Evans & Co.'s china and glass-ware establishment on Fifth avenue, between Wood and Market streets. About 5:30 p. m., when all danger seemed to have passed, ten members of engine companies 4 and 11 were working on the second floor knee deep in water. It appears that the weight of the water, with the already heavy burden the floor was carrying in the shape of big jeweler's safes of Goddard, Hill & Co., was too much, and it gave way. In its plunge down it dragged the third floor along with it clear to the cellar. The firemen were buried under the debris.

WIND AND RAIN.

They Cause Much Damage in Michigan—Loss in Vicinity of Kalamazoo About \$300,000.

Kalamazoo, Mich., July 9.—The worst wind and rainstorm for 50 years swept over southern Michigan late Saturday afternoon, doing damage over an area extending from Hastings, 30 miles north to ten miles south of here. The wind twisted and whirled through the center of this city, wrecking a score of mammoth oak and maple trees in Bronson and West street parks. Half the streets in the city were made impassable by the fallen trees. The Michigan Traction company's lines were put out of service by trolley wires being broken. The Michigan telephone lines in the city were wrecked and all state lines

were put out of service. The roof was blown off the Israel block, Rosenbaum & Speyer's dry goods store was flooded and stock damaged to the extent of \$25,000. The Stern block suffered a similar fate, and H. Stern & Co.'s stock of clothing, occupying double stores, suffered serious damage.

Accompanying the wind was a cloud-burst throughout the Kalamazoo River valley, causing a flow of water two feet deep in the main streets, flooding many cellars. All the creeks rose with great rapidity, inundating all lowlands and causing great damage to the famous Kalamazoo celery crop. The damage is estimated at \$300,000, one-fourth of this being on the celery crop. Arcadia creek, where ordinarily there is but a stream a foot wide and six inches deep, was a raging flood 20 rods wide and ten feet deep in half an hour.

St. Joseph, Mich., July 9.—A fierce southwest gale, accompanied by a heavy fall of rain, swept the Water-vliet fruit district, 12 miles north of this city, Saturday, mowing down all the trees in its path. The loss will reach several thousand dollars.

"The captain, myself and the crew made efforts to save the women, but without success. We told them the yacht was sinking, but they could not or would not come on deck. I waded into the saloon where the water was up to my neck, but Mrs. James Corrigan would not come out. She may have been rendered incapable of action by fear and knowledge of impending doom. An effort was made to take the infant daughter of Mrs. Reilly out, but Mrs. Reilly would not let the child go."

The mate said it was realized that nothing could be done to save those in the cabin and that attention was turned to saving those on deck. The latter, outside of her captain, mate and crew, were Mrs. James Corrigan and her daughter, Miss Etta Corrigan.

"The captain, myself and some of the crew tried to get Mrs. Corrigan and her daughter up on the cross trees in the rigging, but the heavy seas washed us all overboard."

"For God's sake, Mrs. Corrigan, you and your daughter keep a tight hold on the rigging" we called to them. Even as we yelled the sea swept them and us overboard. Fortunately, Mrs. Corrigan had succeeded in taking hold of a cork lounge. She clung to it and was saved."

Conflicting Stories.

According to the testimony of several sailors, the topsail, mainsail and jib were all set when the storm came up. This is denied by Biggam, the mate, who declares that they were in good condition to face the storm.

Capt. James Corrigan declared Saturday night that good seamanship could have averted the tragedy. He is almost frenzied with grief.

Boat Was Widely Known.

The Idler was launched in 1865 at New Haven, Conn., being built originally for S. J. Colgate, who intended to use the yacht for racing as well as cruising purposes, and for several years spent the yachting season in southern waters. It was 106 feet over all, being 96 feet on the water line and 22 feet beam. Its tonnage was 191.26. June 14, 1870, the Idler became the most famous yacht in American waters and was known all over the yachting world for winning and defending the American cup. Eleven schooners took part in the race and the Idler ran away from the fleet and won easily. After that the Idler rested on its laurels and for a few seasons was used mainly for cruising purposes on the coast. In 1876 Colgate again raced the yacht in several regattas, the most famous of which was the race for the Brenton reef cup, which the yacht won, and the following year in September the Idler won the Cape May race cup defeating a large number of yachts. In 1882 A. J. Fisher, of the Chicago Yacht club, purchased the schooner and brought it to Chicago, where it became the best known of all yachts on the lake, and for a time was the only large private yacht in use.

Strangled Herself.

Massillon, O., July 9.—Ella Grue, aged 48 years, an inmate of the Massillon state hospital for the insane, committed suicide by strangling herself with her stocking. She came from Akron.

Box Factory Burned.

Philadelphia, July 9.—The box factory of Thomas B. Rice & Son at Franklin street wharf, was almost destroyed by fire Sunday. Loss, \$80,000.

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FIERCE CYCLONE

It Visited Tabor's Resort Saturday Afternoon.

Narrow Escape of Three Summer Children.

The summer boarders at Tabor's pretty summer resort on the St. Joseph river were witnesses of a real cyclone at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Trees were uprooted about them, a portion of the porch of the house torn away and three children narrowly escaped death, though unscarred and uninjured.

The clouds suddenly hid the sun and darkness fell in dense blackness but there was no sign of an approaching tornado. The boarders were enjoying themselves out of doors, glad of the relief from the heat furnished by the clouds. Suddenly without warning a whirling wind storm fell upon the place and great trees were uprooted and lifted from their foundations. A portion of the porch on the south side of the dining hall was blown away and a path was made by the storm through Mr. Tabor's apple orchard tearing out upwards of a dozen of the large trees which had withstood the storms for years. Several maples were twisted off as if made of cheese.

Three children were at the pump when the storm struck. A large maple tree was blown directly upon the pump they were working and to the wonder of the breathless people who saw it the children were unharmed. Four boys were picking raspberries in Mr. Tabor's patch and they were picked up by the wind and carried over half a dozen rows of bushes and set down without injury. This too was in sight of half a score of people who will never forget their experience.

Mr. Tabor expected to make a large shipment of berries this evening but the wind stripped his vines almost to the last berry.

Burned by Lightning.

Near the river on Mr. Tabor's land the storm took another dip and twisted several large willows out of shape. There are no reports of other damage but the storm seemed to vent its fury on Mr. Tabor.

Three Oaks' EXPLANATION

Tells the True Significance of the Cannon.

During the past year we have watched the development of Three Oaks with increasing interest. As a community we have taken a personal pride in the success of the ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the Dewey cannon. Many times we have been so absorbed with details of arrangement as to momentarily lose sight of the deeper meaning of our concerted efforts.

Should we gloat over the capture of the gun contested for by others? Should we recollect with false pride the "perfection of arrangements" as some described them? Should we remember the occasion only as graced by the presence of honored Americans? All these and many more reasons may to a degree be included in a general cause of rejoicing and gratitude; but they are secondary to a responsibility which we should feel.

Three Oaks typifies Americanism as represented in the interior districts, the country, the village. The cannon, fraught with historic, expansive memories was awarded because of this patriotic Americanism. The unveiling, with all which that embraces, was conducted, not in the interests of our locality alone, but for the cause of Americanism. With such patriotic motives the publicity of Three Oaks has been promoted; on account of such motives our village has been nationally recognized; and because of such motives our local life should be free from selfishness, narrowness, greed and all similar qualities which dwarf, if not kill, true patriotic Americanism.

DEATH OF KENNETH MORRISON

Kenneth Can Exploded as He Was Starting a Fire.

George B. Tatman has received a letter from Jacksonville, Fla., which gives the particulars of the death of little Kenneth Morrison. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the Fourth the little boy was sent to start a fire in the kitchen stove. He used kerosene oil and the can exploded.

He was burned in a horrible manner. His screams brought his parents to the scene where they found his clothing in flames and it was only after hard work that the fire was extinguished. Doctors were summoned but in spite of everything Kenneth died at noon the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison will move to Kissimmee, Fla., at which place their son was buried.

AN OLD SETTLER DEAD.

Mr. Noe Died Suddenly Sunday Evening.

Mr. Noe, an old settler in this country died from old age at his home nearid Creek a mile east of Benton Harbor, at 3:30 Sunday evening. Mr. Noe, sitting in a chair conversing with ends when the death occurred. The deceased leaves a wife and three children and a host of brothers and sisters. Mrs. Kimball, the wife of the deceased, is a half sister.

Was it a Miracle?

The marvelous cure of Mrs. Rena Stout of Consumption has createdense excitement in Cannock, Ind.," writes Marion Stuart, a leading druggist of Muncie, Ind. She only weighed 100 pounds when her doctor in York said she must soon die. Then began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and gained 37 pounds in weight "was completely cured." It has ad thousands of hopeless cases, and positively guaranteed to cure all forms of Chest and Lung diseases. \$5.00. Trial bottles 10c at Lowe Witherspoon's drug store.

BIG FOUR EXCURSIONS.

Paul, Minn., \$18.37 for round trip. Fita, sold July 14, 15 and 16. Good evening July 21. Cincinnati, O., one fare for the round trip. Tickets sold July 10, 11, 12 and 13. Extreme return limit August 10. Detroit, One fare for round trip. Tickets sold September 2 and 3, good evening September 10. Houghtaling Lake. Tickets on sale July 1 to September 30. Good return October 31, fare \$16.80. Trip. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold July 11 to 20, good return August 20.

Excursion day, August 1, one fare for round trip to points within 50 miles. Return limit August 23. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold August 26, 27 and 28, returning September 1, or by day. Return ticket and payment of 50 cents.

L. G. SMITH, Agent.

MICHIGAN.

Michigan pensions were granted Friday as follows: Original—Andrew P. Boothe, Ransom, \$6; Jonathan B. Tuttle, Detroit, \$6; Frank B. Steward, West Bay City, \$6. Additional—Wm. H. Wilson, Soldiers' Home, \$12; Frederick E. Deymann, Cranston, \$9. Supplemental—Eugene Perry, Battle Creek, \$8; Renewal and increase—Ephraim J. Prindel, Grand Rapids, \$12; Samuel Orcutt, Grand Rapids, \$14; Jas. Caldwell, Lansing, \$8. Increase—Hiram Smith, Cassopolis, \$14; John Kliagensmith, \$17; Alfred W. Tucker, Whiteford Centre, \$12; John Street, Breckenridge, \$10; Jas. Miller, Ithaca, \$24; John Bennett, Benton Harbor, \$8; Alanson Beckwith, Benzonia, \$17; Wm. Hogan, Monroe, \$8; Frances Warner, Stanton, \$10; Geo. E. Friend, Sebewa, \$14; Frederick Hart, Nashville, \$14. Reissue—Stephen P. Barnum, Middleville, \$10. Widows—Henrietta S. Jackson, Ypsilanti, \$12; minors of Peter Massey, Berrien Springs, \$12; minor of Edward Barnwell, Detroit, \$27.

W. H. Carrier, of Flint, left that city several months ago for a trip around the world, and his friends fear he may be in Pekin. A letter received from him dated Pekin, May 26, said that he contemplated stopping in that city for some time.

Ralph Stone, the governor's private secretary, has been delegated to close up the Michigan war claims and will remain in Washington until the cash is turned over to the state.

The state bank examiner has called for statement from Michigan banks at the close of business June 29.

New Physician at Berrien Springs.

Dr. William E. Robinson has opened an office at Hotel Berrien at Berrien Springs for the practice of his profession. He is a graduate of the regular school of medicine and for the past six months has been taking a post-graduate course at Louisville, Ky. In 1894 and '95 he practiced at Baroda.

BUCHANAN, MICH., May 22.

Genesee Pure Food Co., LeRoy, N.Y.: Gentlemen—My mamma has been a great coffee drinker and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your GRAIN-O, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package every week. I am ten years old. Yours respectfully,

FANNIE WILLIAMS.

MAN IN TERTIARY AGE.

Important Discovery Claimed by a Colorado Explorer in New Mexico.

Capt. Cecil A. Deane, of the Denver State Historical society, lately spent two weeks near Gallup, N. M., looking for a sandstone house partially covered by a bed of lava. This, says a Denver exchange, he failed to find, but he discovered other evidence of the presence of man in that locality during the tertiary period. Near the given site of the elusive stone house they came upon the site of an old lake covered with lava. Fifty feet above the original level of the vanished lake a cliff house was found. From this long untenanted abode the explorers took two bushels of calcined corn, which, however, had not come into contact with any burning substance. It was of an altogether different variety from the corn that is and has been used by the Indians. Over the corn was a layer of chipped stone reddened by intense heat from the lava bed of solidified debris which lay above the burnt rock.

In the house in which the corn was stored there were no weapons or utensils made of lava. On the other hand, such weapons and utensils were plentiful in the cliff dwelling at a lower level. These facts have convinced Capt. Deane that the region was inhabited before and after the lava flow, which is of the later tertiary period.

Manila's Destructive Ants.

The white ants of Manila are fond of wood. They bore holes from the outside, enter in thousands, and eat articles of furniture until little is left but mere shells. Sometimes they devour the legs of a chair, so that when a person sits down, the chair crumbles under him, and he suddenly and ungraciously lands on the floor.

The Tortoise as a Weather Prophet.

A tortoise is an excellent weather prophet. Tortoise farmers on the African coasts notice that, even 24 hours before rain falls, these curious animals prepare for it by seeking the convenient shelter of overhanging rocks.

Canada Studying Census Methods. The Canadian government has sent a representative of its census department to New York to study the methods which will be employed in counting the population of the metropolis.

Auction Sale.

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FEED ALL THE TRAMPS

Rev. J. W. Hamilton of St. Joseph Makes Eloquent Plea for the Hungry.

NO MATTER THE CAUSE.

The Eloquent Preacher Believes That It Is Duty to Feed Them.

Before an immense congregation in the St. Joseph Methodist church last evening Rev. James Hamilton scored his parishioners who refuse to feed tramps. Blushes of shame and looks of indignation passed in rapid succession over the faces of his listeners. Finally, when he had thoroughly aroused every one of his listeners to almost a mob heat, he modified his first statements and the good Methodist ladies found they really agreed with their popular pastor.

Speaking of the miraculous feeding of the 5,000 Mr. Hamilton deduced several laws of true philanthropy.

"We are under obligations to feed the hundreds," declared the eloquent preacher. "Feed them! Feed them, unthinking and improvident though they be. Lord Jesus knew all about the selfishness of the rabble that followed him only to be fed and yet he divided the loaves and fishes among them."

"It is a terrible thing to be hungry no matter from what cause. Better feed 99 unworthy than to fail to feed the one who is worthy."

"A far better reason so far as we are concerned is that it is only by so doing that we ourselves can be saved from being heartless and cruel. For our own sakes then we must relieve their wants."

"Did you ever think of the effect on your own character of saying 'no' to appeals of this kind?"

The minister paused a moment and looked scanningly into the face of every one in the congregation. Then low and slowly he answered his own question.

"No, then look in the glass the next time after you have refused to feed a tramp and see if the benignity of God is in the countenance. Your face will be covered with hard lines—you will look cruel and harsh. Better be imposed upon a thousand times than to suffer this."

"Feed them that you may have an opportunity to minister to them spiritually. You can't well talk to a man when you have refused him food. Christ, himself, observed this order. He fed them first then rebuked their selfishness and sin."

"But, my friends, while feeding the hungry we must guard against pauperizing the objects of our charity. Jesus did this by sternly rebuking the mendicant spirit of the multitude that sought loaves and fishes. The true law is to relieve hunger when it is pressing and imperative, but to rebuke the mendicant spirit that would follow, flatter and fawn upon for the sake of being fed. Hence never feed a man who is able to work until he has earned it by his own effort. Put yourself out, instead, in order to find him something to do."

During the course of his sermon Rev. Hamilton referred to his mother who died with a happy smile on her face. He attributed the smile to the fact that she had never turned a person away from her door.

The Juanita chorus of young ladies sang several selections during the service.

Your Best Friend can give you no better advice than this: "For impure blood, humors, scrofula, salt rheum, dyspepsia, weak nerves, tired feeling, rheumatism, malaria, catarrh, take Hood's Sarsaparilla and be cured."

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On August 14, 1900, the Indiana, Illinois & Iowa R. R. Co., will run an excursion to Niagara Falls by way of the Nickel Plate line. Special train of N Y C. and St. L. Coaches and Pullman sleepers will be used. Sleeping cars will be placed at St. Joseph and South Bend.

Fare for round trip from stations St. Joseph to South Bend inclusive will be \$6.75. Sleeping car service will be \$3 a berth or \$6 a section one way. Drawing room, \$10.

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The steamer Richmond will make regular trips between Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, leaving old ferry dock, Benton Harbor, at 8:30 every morning to connect with the steamer Tourist and will make round trips every thirty minutes. Fare five cents. Ladies' round trip tickets for five cents every day but Sunday. The boat can be chartered for evening excursions at reasonable rates. Enquire on board.

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MONDAY, JULY 9, 1900.

FEED THE TRAMPS.

Rev. James Hamilton, pastor of the Methodist church in St. Joseph, has become the champion of the tramp. Yesterday he preached eloquently upon the sin that comes with turning a hungry man from your door. As an evidence that each refusal left its hardened mark upon the face of the one who withheld food from the hungry, the good pastor asked the members of the congregation to look into a mirror next time they turned a hungry tramp away and notice if the mark of that act was not stamped upon their countenance.

In striking contrast to this sermon was one by Rev. W. J. Cady of this city a few Sundays before. He quoted the Bible that the man who does not work shall not eat, applied it to the tramps, and left the impression that the tramps should be turned away hungry.

However, when Mr. Hamilton explained himself, he did not mean exactly what he said. He believed that every person who applied for food should be fed but before the feeding he believes that the tramp should be made to work. Doubtless the Benton Harbor pastor would subscribe to the same creed.

It is an awful thing to turn a man away hungry, either by the city or the individual. Benton Harbor could find some new way, perhaps, of being freed of tramps without sending them away hungry. Tramps are believed to be lazy. Let the city provide some public work and put the tramp who strikes the city to work. Let him be made to earn at least 50 cents for every 15 cent meal he is given and the local tramp puzzle will be solved.

In the meantime the tramp is to be congratulated upon having such a sincere and able champion as Rev. Hamilton.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. But such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, give a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25¢ at Lowe & Witherpoon's Drug Store.

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Suburban high grade bicycles, lady's and gent's, at Wallace Bros. for \$19. t 225

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

1st 6:45 a. m. 9 p. m. ESTATE..

Some or Investment.

We have for sale two blocks of choice lots on Edward street, between city limits and car line. Lots are 50x125 ft., 60 foot street, all graded, survey stakes set, abstract with every lot, taxes a mere nominal. Will sell them on easy payment and furnish money to build you a home. It will pay you to investigate.

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A fine large lot on the west side of Cofax avenue, 68x125 feet wide, running back to the river, a distance of 150 rods. Considering the location and outlook, this is the finest location for a nice residence in the city. Will be sold cheap. Ready sell anticipated, so don't lose any time about investigating. 3 acres.

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To buy real estate, prices are bound to be high. Prospects for Benton Harbor and vicinity were never brighter. Call and see us for what you want. Our list is too large to give it here.

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LATE NEWS

Late News Regarding Legations at

Peking More Hopeful.

ARE SAID TO BE STILL HOLDING OUT.

Dispatch from Shanghai Says They

Were Safe July 4—The Guards Said

to Have Killed 2,000 Troops

and Many Boxers.

London, July 9.—The foreign consuls at Shanghai met on July 7 and officially announced that the legations at Peking were safe as of July 4. The foreign government had read with Consul Warren's dispatch to the foreign office on Saturday, makes it possible to believe that the legations will hold out for a number of days yet. Having fought to a standstill the first outbursts of fanatical fury, it is believed that something may intervene to save them. The news, after the sinister rumors of the last ten days, is enough upon which to build up hopes.

SITUATION AT TIENSIN.

Tientsin is still hard pressed. A Chinese force numbering from 80,000 to 100,000 men, as estimated by inconclusive reconnaissances, floods the country roundabout Tientsin, communication between which place and Taku is apparently possible by river only.

Refugees from Tientsin arriving at Shanghai say that only five civilian foreigners were killed during the long Chinese bombardment. The foreign women became so indifferent that they walked through the streets, not heeding the shells. Most of the civilians were deported to Taku, thence to be conveyed to Shanghai.

REPORTS OF A GREAT BATTLE.

The correspondents at Shanghai, who are still the clearing house of all Chinese news, say that a combined force of Russians and Japanese have left Tientsin, following the railway as far as Lang Fang, and have thence swept swiftly to the west, attacking the Chinese 18 miles north of Tientsin and killing 1,000 of them.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Standard says reports from Tientsin from Chinese sources say a great battle has taken place, in which the Chinese lost heavily. The allies at Tientsin are short of provisions.

The Daily Mail's Tientsin correspondent, in dispatch dated July 2, via Chefoo, July 4, says: "No forward movement is possible with less than 80,000 men."

PRESIDENT TO LI HUNG CHANG.

The Daily Telegraph's Canton correspondent, wiring Friday, via Hong-Kong, Saturday, says:

"Li Hung Chang was formally notified to-day that President McKinley cordially appreciates his assurances of friendship for the allied powers. Now that anarchy controls the capital, President McKinley trusts to the responsible provincial authorities to carry out the international obligations of the Chinese government."

SEEKING OUR HELP.

The Times says: "We learn from a private message from Canton that Li Hung Chang has been telegraphed direct to the Chinese minister in London, urging him to request the British government to approach the United States government with a view to a joint invitation to Japan to cooperate in the maintenance of the Chinese empire and the establishment of a strong government on a solid basis, the three uniting in an appeal for the support of all the other powers."

LEGATION GUARDS KILLED 2,000.

London, July 9.—The foreign office has issued the text of a telegram from Acting Consul Warren, at Shanghai, confirming from thoroughly trustworthy sources the news received by courier from Peking July 3, by way of Shanghai, to the London office of the inspectorate of Chinese maritime customs, saying that two legations were, the day the courier left, holding out against the troops and Boxers, and that the troops had lost 2,000 men and the Boxers many leaders. Mr. Warren adds that the messengers say the troops were much disheartened by their losses, and that the Boxers claim their mystic powers have been broken by the foreigners, and that they dare not approach the legations. It is further asserted that the foreigners at Peking ought to be able to hold out for a long time, as they have sufficient food and ammunition.

MORE HOPEFUL FEELING.

Washington, July 9.—A slightly more hopeful feeling for the safety of the legations in Peking is apparent in official circles. The hope is not founded on any official dispatches which have reached the state department, as nothing was received during Sunday from the consular representatives of the United States in China. The cumulative statements, however, which are daily printed from various portions of the empire reporting the diplomatic corps with the exception of the German minister as safe up to within certain specified time, together with the absence of any corroborative proof of their murder, is partially responsible for the slight hope which prevails that they (the ministers) are yet alive. The statements purporting to come from Sir Robert Hart, the English Chinese inspector of customs, are regarded as the best information which has been received. While showing that conditions were desperate, the dispatches have not been entirely without hope.

BOMBARDED TIENSIN.

Berlin, July 9.—A dispatch from Tientsin says the Russians unsuccessfully bombarded the native town on July 2. The strength of the allied troops is about 10,000. There is no fresh news regarding the situation in Peking.

INTENDED FOR CHINA.

Washington, July 9.—The issue Saturday of the formal orders for the dispatch to the east of more than 6,000 troops from army posts in the United States was a manifestation of the en-

trance, these troops are nominally destined for the Philippines to replace the volunteers now out there, but it is admitted that they are being sent out by a route that will easily admit of defection to Taku or some other convenient Chinese port. Possibly Consul General Goodnow's cablegram representing the legations as being alive as late as the 3d inst. may have had something to do with this radical action. Whatever the cause, if these troops are landed in China, together with the Ninth infantry, supposed to be now at Taku, and the marine and naval contingent, the United States will have a force in action commensurate with our interests, and in proportion to the European forces. Japan is to begin the movement on Peking, according to advices, with the full consent of the powers, and it is calculated that the foreign reinforcements, including our own, will arrive in China, if they are landed at all, in season to finish the work that may be left by the Japanese.

AMERICAN ATHLETES WIN.

CARRY OFF MOST OF THE EVENTS IN THE AMATEUR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION MEET AT LONDON.

London, July 9.—American athletes on Saturday won eight out of the 13 of the amateur events for the championship of Great Britain. The Amateur Athletic association championship games were held at Stanford bridge, and as the Americans competed in only 12 of the events, they won all but four of the contests in which they took part. Such a clean sweep is without parallel. More especially is it noticeable when it is remembered that they opposed the best amateurs, not only of England, Ireland and Scotland, but the colonies as well.

The New York Athletic club got the lion's share, taking the weight putting, hammer throw, pole vault and four-mile run. Pennsylvania was second, winning the high jump, the hurdles and the long jump. Georgetown university won the 100-yard dash. Princeton university secured second place in the 100-yard dash and the high jump, while Chicago university secured the same place in the quarter-mile run and Pennsylvania university added to her other laurels by getting second place in the pole vault.

THE BOER WAR.

BRITISH TROOPS ARE REPORTED SUCCESSFUL IN SEVERAL RECENT SLIGHT ENGAGEMENTS.

London, July 9.—Late news from South Africa reports that the Boers ineffectually attacked Gen. Buller's escort between Standerton and Heidelberg on Saturday as he was returning from a visit to Lord Roberts. The Boers attacked Ficksburg garrison at midnight on Tuesday, but were driven off after 45 minutes' fighting. Gen. Brabant on July 5 occupied Dernberg, between Senakal and Winburg, which served as a base for bands assailing convoys. Col. Mahon, of Gen. Hutton's mounted troops, on July 6 and 7 engaged 3,000 Boers east of Brouwerspruit and drove them off. The casualties numbered 53. Commandant Limner tried to recapture Rustenburg on July 5, but was driven back. Thirty-four of Stratheon horse under Lieut. Anderson were attacked by 200 Boers, east of Standerton, on July 6. The British soon took possession of a kopje, upon which they successfully withstood the attacks of the enemy.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE.

TENTH INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE UNION TO BE HELD IN CINCINNATI THIS WEEK.

Cincinnati, July 9.—The tenth international convention of the Baptist Young People's union convenes here next Thursday for a session of four days. The sessions will be held in Music hall, with a seating capacity of 5,000. There will be general sessions during forenoons and evenings and meetings of sections during the afternoons. President Melish, of the Cincinnati Convention league, and Rev. Dr. Warren Partridge, representing the Baptists of Cincinnati, will deliver welcoming addresses, with responses from the officers of the union. A large chorus has been rehearsing to furnish the music. Dr. E. G. Grange, of London, England, delivers the annual sermon, and Dr. Lorimer, of Boston, the annual address. Distinguished ministers and lecturers from all countries are on the programme for addresses during the sessions.

THROWN OUT OF WORK.

Lebanon, Pa., July 9.—Sixteen hundred men have been out of employment by the banking of five furnaces, two of them owned and three operated on a five-years' lease by the Lackawanna Iron & Steel company of Scranton. Two of the furnaces are at West Lebanon, two at Cornwall and one at North Cornwall. The cause stated for the stoppage of operations is the removal of the large steel works of the Lackawanna company from Scranton to Buffalo and the existing war over railroad rates for lake ore.

SHORT OF CARS.

Fort Worth, Tex., July 9.—The general freight traffic situation in the state is becoming serious. There is not enough available equipment to handle the business on account of the immense wheat shipments. Indications are that 2,000 cars will be centralized at Galveston awaiting shipment for export.

Talmage Preaches in Stockholm. Stockholm, July 9.—Rev. T. De Witt Talmage preached in the Immanuel Church here Sunday to an immense congregation. Dr. Talmage's sermon was rendered into Swedish by an interpreter.

• FURNITURE.

IT IS GENERALLY CONCEDED THAT

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SHORT ITEMS

DATES TO RESERVE.

July 18—Berrien county republican nominating convention at St. Joseph.
July 20—State senatorial convention at Niles.

IN LOCAL BUSINESS CIRCLES.

Ladies with little hair can buy during the next 30 days, \$3.50 switches for \$2. Madame DeCarter, 306 State street. Twin City 'phone 319. Over Rimes & Hildebrand's store. 187th.

Suburban high grade bicycles, lady's or gent's, at Wallace Bros. for \$19. 1/225

The law holds both maker and circulator of a counterfeit equally guilty. The dealer who sells you a dangerous counterfeit of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve risks your life to make a little larger profit. You cannot trust him. DeWitt's is the only genuine and original Witch Hazel Salve, a well known cure for piles and all skin diseases. See that your dealer gives you DeWitt's Salve. G. M. Bell & Co.

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Witness (WM. SMALL,

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Lying side by side in specially prepared graves on the farm of the late Robert Bonner, in New York, are the remains of Dexter and Maud S., two of the greatest horses the world ever saw.

Osage Nation Over the Question of Chieftainship.

A civil war is raging in the Osage Indian nation, south of Wichita, Kan. It is caused, says a local exchange, by the fact that Peter Bigheart and Eagle Chief, two rich and influential Indians, want to be chief of the tribe. As only one can be elected, the feud that has been started threatens to outdo the Kentucky struggle so far as bloodshed goes. Already 20 Indians have been assassinated on account of the bitterness between these two factions, and the fight has just commenced.

The fight commenced four years ago. Eagle Chief and Bigheart were then candidates for chief, and Bigheart won. Eagle Chief accused his rival of fraud, and in the contest that followed four or five Indians were killed. The defeated candidate represents the progressive element, and the present chief is in favor of running all the white men out of the country and going back to the first days of savagery. Notwithstanding his backward ways, he is the richest man in the tribe, and is said to be worth over \$3,000,000. He has made it all since he has been chief. By securing the passage of bills favorable to his oil wells and the extensive mines he owns, he has amassed a big fortune from his office. These facts are being made good use of in the campaign against him, and they are telling on the influence of the big chieftain.

On the other hand, Eagle Chief is accused of trying to play into the hands of the whites by favoring allotment. Many campaign stories have been spread, in which there is not a grain of truth, and this has only served to add fuel to the flames. Each man has a large following.

SAN JUAN AND EL CANEY.

The Battlefields Are Overgrown with Weeds and the Blockhouses Going into Decay.

"I thought you would probably like to hear about the old battle grounds—how they look now," writes a correspondent of the Boston Transcript. "I went to Caney and went over the whole field of July 1. You would scarcely recognize the places. The wire fence where Col. Haskell and Dickinson were shot has been repaired, and it is difficult to locate the spot. The bodies buried in the pineapple field—some 40 or more—have all been removed and the trench filled up. Parts of leggings, shoes, and other clothing of the dead can be seen lying about. The old stone fort is full of weeds and is crumbling down. The roof is entirely gone. The Spanish trenches near it are almost filled up. Down nearer the city the Spanish positions are difficult to determine. All of the wood blockhouses have either been burned or carried away by the Cubans for the lumber. The sunken road is the only natural-looking place. There is a company of the Fifth infantry doing garrison duty at Caney. Their quarters are clean and cool, and it is considered a good station. The town is very free from filth. The streets are being repaired, waterworks being put in, a new plaza under construction, etc."

"San Juan hill is overgrown with rank vegetation. A Cuban peasant has a hut where once stood the famous blockhouse. Vandals have injured the Surrender tree some, but a strong double-barbed wire fence protects it, together with a penalty of punishment for any violation."

RECOVERED HER TEETH.

CHASE OF A PHILADELPHIA WOMAN AFTER A PUG THAT HAD TAKEN HER TEETH.

Philadelphiaans on Diamond street were very much interested the other day in watching the chase of a young woman stylishly dressed after a pug dog, reports an exchange of that city. The wind was high and during a gust that came around a corner the young woman sneezed, gently at first, and then with some degree of violence. A cry of alarm escaped her lips as something resembling a string of pearls fell from her mouth to the pavement. For an instant the object glittered on the sidewalk, when the frisky dog bounded to the spot, picked up the glistening thing and bounded off again.

Blushing, the girl, in her perplexity, cast a wistful glance at the dog in the distance. Quickly she placed her trembling hand over her mouth and kept it there, while she started in pursuit of the dog. The chase was exciting. Pedestrians paused to watch. After many turns, rushes, dodges and halts the pretty maiden caught the dog at Tenth street. The animal fell prostrate at her commands.

"Drop it, Fido; drop it!" she cried.

The dog obeyed, opened its mouth and dropped upon the pavement with great reluctance the proud maiden's set of false teeth.

Lumbermen's Libraries.

Among the sawmill towns and logging camps of northern Wisconsin small libraries are circulating under the care of Rev. Stanley E. Lathrop, of Ashland. Often this is almost the only good literature that reaches these places, where most of the people are too poor to buy books. Many more libraries could be used to advantage; also illustrated newspapers and back numbers of magazines.

A Hound's Long Trip.

A hound was bought in Missouri and shipped in a closed express car to a ranch in Kansas. In a day or two it was missing. Investigation proved that it had gone back to its Missouri home, over a distance of 500 miles, on a road entirely unknown to the dog.

United for One World Times
by Acclamation.

Notable among the few members of the house of representatives who have been unanimously renominated is Representative John H. Ketcham, of New York. Sixteen nominations by acclamation is his record, and that is the top score for the house.

When Mr. Ketcham came out of the union army in 1865 a brigadier general he entered congress as a representative from New York, and was re-elected to the Thirty-ninth, Fortieth, Forty-first and Forty-second congresses.

He was a candidate for reelection in the Forty-third congress, and at this



JEN. JOHN H. KETCHAM.
(Nominated for Congress 16 Times by Acclamation.)

time met, through his loyalty to Gen. Grant, his first political defeat. During the Grant-Greeley campaign his district—known as the Hudson river district—contained many republicans who sympathized with Greeley, and Mr. Ketcham was notified that if he would not push the canvass for Grant he would be reelected. This proposition was firmly refused by Mr. Ketcham, who said that he would win or lose with Grant. The result was the election of the democratic candidate.

Gen. Grant knew of the fight and the motives underlying it and in 1874 he appointed Gen. Ketcham commissioner of the District of Columbia, and he served in that office until 1877, when he resigned to reenter congress.

Mr. Ketcham's career in the district commissionership was highly creditable to him. During his incumbency in office the district bonds, which had been at a discount, rose to par value.

Mr. Ketcham was reelected to the Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, Fiftieth, Fifty-first and Fifty-second congresses, when he retired to recuperate his health.

He came back in the Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth congresses, and, as stated, has been renominated as the republican candidate in the Eighteenth New York district for the next congress.

Mr. Ketcham never makes a speech in congress or on the stump. He is an indefatigable worker for his constituents, however, and is beloved throughout his district. He is a man of strong charitable impulses, which he gratifies, and numbers his friends among the poorer people of his district as well as among the rich. Mr. Ketcham is regarded as a man of superior political judgment and is consulted in the party councils at the capitol.

He is a constant attendant upon the sessions of the house and is a familiar figure about the departments, where he looks after the interests of his constituents.

ANCHOR MARKS GRAVE.

THE APPROPRIATE MONUMENT TO THE MAINE CREW IN ARLINGTON CEMETERY, NEAR WASHINGTON.

Arlington cemetery, the city of the nation's soldier dead, has always been a place of more than ordinary interest to people who visit Washington, but it has become more so since the memorial for the Maine's men has been added.

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It is not neutral or colorless, constantly trimming in an endeavor to please both sides, but is independent in the best sense of the word.

It has pronounced opinions and is fearless in expressing them, but it is always fair to its opponents.

Matters of national or vital public interest get more space in THE TRIBUNE than in any other paper in the West.

For these reasons it is the newspaper you should read during the forthcoming political campaign.

THE TRIBUNE'S financial columns never mislead the public.

Its facilities for gathering news, both local and foreign, are far superior to those of any other newspaper in the West.

Harry L. Bird is in Eau Claire.
Harry Hayes is in Chicago today.
Miss Burrucker returned to Chicago today.

Dr. Cogshall left this morning for his western visit.

Miss Cora Robinson returned to her home in Hartford today.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Enders spent Sunday at Paw Paw lake.

Ed. Crowell, of Chicago, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Graham McOmber, of Berrien Springs, is in the city today.

Dr. A. L. Burke and Dr. Lowry spent Sunday at Berrien Springs.

Miss Wightman of Mt. Pleasant has gone to Chicago to take a course in art.

John McEllis, of Chicago, was the guest of the Hansen family yesterday.

Miss Bertha Meyers, of Wabash, Ind., spent Sunday with Miss Grace Shauman.

W. H. Warvel and sons of Chicago were the guests of Jacob Fisher and family over Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Hale and daughter, Anna, of Wabash, Ind., are the guests of O. A. Shauman and family.

Fred Baer, of the Goshen News, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Baer was formerly employed in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rapp and Mr. and Mrs. Swort of Goshen, Ind., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Rapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver of Sarnia, Canada and Mrs. Davis and children of Baroda visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cronk last week.

Freddie Herring returned Saturday from seven weeks' visit to Goshen and Bremen. His grandmother, Mrs. J. J. Wright, accompanied him home.

J. Stanley Baley, city editor of the Palladium, left last night for New York and will sail in a few days for Paris, where he will spend about eight weeks seeing the sights.

John T. Beckwith, who sold his place on Colfax avenue about one month ago to a Mr. Baker, and moved his family back to his farm in Weesaw township, is here today looking up a place to buy.

Mr. Beckwith owns a grand farm of 200 acres in Weesaw township, but owing to the facilities of educating his children he is sure to settle down near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham of 230 Britain avenue, entertained a number of their friends at their home yesterday. Among them were a number of the naval reserves.

Mesdames R. Rice and Charles Warner will entertain circle No. 5 of the ladies' aid society of the Methodist church and the chairman of the other circles of the church Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rice, corner of Pleasant and Bellview streets.

Have You Dyspepsia?

Indigestion, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Nervous or Sick Headache, or any form of Stomach Trouble? If so, Shirk's Cure for Dyspepsia will cure you.

Price 75c per bottle. For sale by Lowe & Witherspoon.

The theatre pavilion at Eastman Springs is lit by electricity and seats 500 people. The sides can be thrown open on warm nights, making it pleasant and comfortable.

Cement and Brick Sidewalks.

I am prepared to put down brick or cement sidewalks and guarantee satisfaction. Address G. H. Burwell, rural delivery, and I will call. 26238

Republican Senatorial Convention.

A republican convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate for state senator for the seventh senatorial district of Michigan consisting of the counties of Berrien and Cass will be held at Niles on July 20, 1900, at 12 o'clock noon. The basis of representation will be one delegate from each supervisor's district. COMMITTEE.

H. B. VOLHEIM,
W. W. EASTON,
D. R. BEESON.

Dated June 30, 1900.

A Summer Kindergarten

will be opened at the Emery resort July 9 under the charge of an experienced Chicago Kindergarten. A limited number of children from outside can be accommodated. Rates reasonable. For full particulars address Kindergarten, care of the Emery. 6t

ILLUSTRATED SERMONS

Series at Christian Church by Rev. J. L. Romig.

Beginning Friday evening, July 6, at the Christian church on Broadway, Rev. J. A. L. Romig, well known in this city as an evangelist and preacher, will give a series of illustrated sermons, songs and lectures, continuing for one week. The admission will be free until further notice. Some of the following sermons and hymns will be given during the week:

Sermons, preparatory talk, prayer, Majesty of Christian Manhood, The Great Physician, Our Written Record, Handwriting on the Wall, Final Judgment, Greatest Command in the Bible.

Illustrated hymns: Nearer My God to Thee, 10 ennobling views; Rock of Ages, 12 fine slides; The Ninety and Nine, 10 pictures; Abide with Me, 10 inspiring views; Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross; Throw Out the Life Line; Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me.

A powerful double dissolving light stereopticon will be used to illustrate hymns, parables and teachings of Jesus; also, various other subjects, such as "Gamblers" and "Drunkards' Career," "Drunkard's Daughter," "Ten Nights in a Bar-Room," etc., on a large screen, with pictures of marvellous beauty, the finest that art produces, or that money can buy. Good music will be furnished by Prof. F. F. Dawdy and wife, Evangelistic singers. Everybody welcome. Come and bring a friend. Service will begin at 7:45 each evening. 62386

News Notes About the Bustling Lake Town

St. Joe's Sunday Was Hurt by Cold

It was a slim corporal's guard that visited St. Joe Sunday. The wind, rapidly rising Saturday afternoon, turned into an October gale Sunday morning and lashed the lake into a great fury. The wind also played havoc with the thermometer and beat the fickle liquid, which on Saturday had registered 93, down to a miserable 61. The few people who assembled on the bluff shook like sufferers with ague. They passed by the ice cream soda stands without even a look inside.

The Graham & Morton boats brought 1200 over and a great big percentage of these leaned over the rail—and fed the isles.

Cupid was on top even if there wasn't any ice cream in it. Clerk Needham had the biggest day of his official career yesterday. Twenty-nine couples from all over were married during the day.

The first couple arrived on the 2:15 train in the morning. Nelson Newman and Isabella McCommons had traveled all the way from New York to visit St. Joe and get married. They aroused Minister McRoberts and Clerk Needham out of bed and were married at 2:45. The married couple returned on the 3:05 train to New York.

Ed Hatfield, a 13-year-old boy, rather small for his age, left his parent's home on the river side in St. Joseph at 7:30 Sunday morning. The boy intended to visit the home of Charles Killarkee situated near the Twin City mills.

The boy has not been seen since by his friends and it is feared that he has drowned. Chief Morton is hard on the search for the little chap, however, and if he is not dead the chief has hopes of finding him very shortly.

Ed was a very quiet boy and his parents do not think that he has run away. Both mother and father are nearly crazy with grief.

When the lad left home he wore a black and white shirt and a pair of dark brown pantaloons. He was barefooted.

Theodore Shear is in Chicago.

The pleasure yacht Arthur S. arrived in port with a party from Manitoba Saturday evening.

Fred Hamilton is confined to his home today by an attack of rash, which he thinks is caused by contact with poison ivy. Arthur Morrow has charge of the jeweler's store during the proprietor's absence.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cts. Sold by Lowe & Witherspoon, druggists.

Notice to the Public.

Accept no discount on express money orders. Same will be redeemed at face value at either of the express offices in Benton Harbor, Michigan. 2d2t2w

A. ANTISDEL, Gen. Manager American Express Co.

Tonight at Eastman Springs theatre pavilion "Nugget Nell." New songs and specialties. Admission to grounds and theatre 15 cents. Wednesday night "The Noble Outcast."

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfits to rent at reasonable prices.

Republican Ward Caucuses.

The republican ward caucuses for the several wards of the city of Benton Harbor, Mich., will be held on Tuesday evening, July 10, 1900, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the republican county convention to be held at the city of St. Joseph on the 18th day of July, 1900, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus.

The places of meeting and apportionment of delegates are as follows:

First ward, 131 West Main street—six delegates.

Second ward, Hotel Higbee—thirteen delegates.

Third ward, city hall—twelve delegates.

Fourth ward, armory, over Hoodless' store, Territorial street—eleven delegates.

HENRY BAUTE, Chairman First Ward.

F. H. ELLSWORTH, Chairman Second Ward.

JOHN SEEL, Chairman Third Ward.

A. P. CADY, Chairman Fourth Ward.

BIG FOUR EXCURSIONS.

St. Paul, Minn., \$18.37 for round trip tickets, sold July 14, 15 and 16. Good returning July 21.

Cincinnati, O., one fare for the round trip. Tickets sold July 10, 11, 12 and 13. Extreme return limit August 10.

Detroit. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold September 2 and 3, good returning September 10.

Chautauqua Lake. Tickets on sale June 1 to September 30. Good returning October 31, fare \$16.80.

Orion. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold July 11 to 20, good returning August 20.

Emancipation day, August 1, one fare for round trip to points within radius of 50 miles. Return limit August 2.

Detroit. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold August 25, 26, 27 and 28, good returning September 1, or by depositing ticket and payment of 50 cents September 14.

L. G. SMITH, Agent.

Celery and cabbage plants for sale. Call at 147 Garfield avenue. 62385

Young Detroit Girl Shows Rare Skill in Marksmanship.

Sonia Wright Never Fired a Shot Before Last October, and Now She Is Pronounced a Marvel by All Sharpshooters.

Miss Sonia Wright, of Detroit, Mich., is said by those who know her to be the most remarkable rifle shot in the country.

Two years ago she was a teacher of elocution and physical culture in Detroit. She found the field overcrowded and began reading proof in the office of the Evening Mail at Lafayette, Ind. There she met the man who discovered her wonderful skill with the rifle.

John E. Long, assistant engineer of the Lafayette waterworks, is known as an expert shot and the father of the "Hoosier Boy Shot," who won considerable fame at the world's fair for his remarkable skill with the rifle. Miss Wright was included in an invitation to visit the waterworks last October, and went with several friends. Mr. Long happened to mention, in a reminiscent mood, how lonely he felt without his son, who had been such a treasure to him in various ways.

"I miss him so much," he remarked, "in my shooting, and I don't seem to find anyone that can take his place."

"Why can't I pose as a pupil?" said Miss Wright, banteringly. Mr. Long invited her to call during his practice hours in the courtyard of the waterworks. He never expected to see her again, and was much surprised when she called on him one day and said she wanted to take that lesson.

Mr. Long gave to her the "lesson." He instructed her how to hold the gun



MISS SONIA WRIGHT.
(Doing Some Fancy Rifle Shooting from Her Bicycle.)

and to aim in much the same manner that he would instruct any novice.

"Now, there is the target, and you have the sight," he explained; "do your worst."

Miss Wright placed the gun to her shoulder like an amateur and fired. The bullet struck the bull's-eye. The distance was ten yards, and the shot was regarded by Mr. Long as merely a chance hit. Another shot was tried, and again the bullet struck the bull's-eye. This at once inspired him to induce her to become a permanent pupil.

Before she had taken many lessons, Mr. Long discovered that Miss Wright was really the person that he had long been searching for. He taught her the various tricks of the business and found her an extraordinarily apt pupil. Her latent talent was as much a surprise to Miss Wright as it was to her instructor. He remarked one thing about her shooting, and that was that nearly all her shots were what are technically termed "line shots." That is, they did not waver from the "sight," but were true and good. Her lessons included ten shots each, and in the sixth lesson she placed five shots in the black space, hitting the bull's eye three times and getting 112 out of a possible 120 in the score.

When she had taken eight lessons, Mr. Long was so confident of her ability that he asked her to shoot the ashes of a cigar held in his mouth at eight yards. This she did very successfully, though she went through the test with considerable trepidation.

Miss Wright was in the meantime getting famous without looking for honors in that or any other line. People used to come around to the waterworks court yard to see "the girl that shoots," and one day a committee from the St. Boniface church bazaar called on her, and asked her to give an exhibition at their fair. Miss Wright didn't think she was an attraction to be featured, or that her skill was worthy of a public exhibition, but she consented, and her marksmanship, under the direction of Mr. Long, created a sensation.

This was her first stage appearance, and among other things she accomplished was the so-called "trimming of the finger nails" at eight yards. Mr. Long held candy disks in his hand, and had Miss Wright shoot holes through them. Then he lit a match and she shot it out. She also snuffed a candle, split a card and did things that made the audience gape in wonderment and demand a repetition.

Miss Wright's father was a colonel of the Royal engineers, Ireland, and she was born in the army, so to speak. She is an attractive young woman and the only denotement of her profession is a broad-brimmed "Texas summer hat," which gives her a decidedly frontier appearance. Miss Wright was born in County Fermany, Ireland, and Detroit has been her home for ten years. Her mother resides on Grant court.

Boston Couple That Never Spoke Until They stood Before the Altar.

A marriage took place in Boston the other evening, the parties to which had never spoken until a few minutes before they stood before the clergyman who pronounced them man and wife. They had been courting for nearly three months at that, and they were both in full possession of the faculty of speech, says a Boston paper.

One day in March last a young woman employed in one of the department stores and a young man holding a clerkship in a music store engaged rooms on Shawmut avenue and Union Park street respectively, and that night, sitting at the windows of their lodgings, saw each other across the expansive courtyard for the first time. For several nights they enjoyed each other's presence in a silent manner. Later on the young man acknowledged the lady's presence with a bow. Then began the odd and unique courtship. The young man, in order to get a better look at his inamorata, bought a pair of opera glasses, and, to his delight, the lady did the same. Then the young man cut out some letters from white paper and pinned them on a piece of board that he had covered with black muslin, to spell out: "Tell me your name."

The lady answered the next night in the same way. Through this medium, slow and unsatisfactory as it was, the courtship went on, the young lady, however, being deaf to all his entreaties for a meeting. They soon gave up their original mode of correspondence, however, and began to pay tribute to the postal service. An engagement followed in due course of time and last week there was a wedding distinguished by "no cards, no reception, no bridal tour."

ON FERRY ROUTE

The steamer Richmond will make regular trips between Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, leaving old ferry dock, Benton Harbor, at 8:30 every morning to connect with the steamer Tourist and will make round trips every thirty minutes. Fare five cents. Ladies' round trip tickets for five cents every day but Sunday. The boat can be chartered for evening excursions at reasonable rates. Enquire on board.

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Special sale on ice cream freezers for the next ten days. B. L. HALL CO.

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